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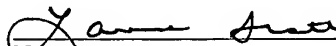


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In re Application of: Richard D. Reohr, Jr., et al.  
Serial No.: 10/071,969  
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Group Art Unit: 2634  
Title: PROCESSING DATA PACKETS IN A MULTIPLE  
PROTOCOL SYSTEM AREA NETWORK

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**THIRD REQUEST FOR STATUS**

Applicants respectfully inquire about the status of the above-identified patent application. Applicants previously filed a Second Request for Status in this case on August 18, 2004. A Status Letter Reply was mailed to Applicants on August 27, 2004, stating that this application would be examined in 7 to 10 months. Applicants respectfully inquire about the status of the present application, and in particular, request notice of when the first Office Action on the merits will be issued.

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If there are any matters that can be cleared up through a telephone conversation, please contact the undersigned attorney for Applicants at the telephone number listed below.

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